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Please find attached a re-signed copy of the Petition, which was filed on December 10, 2001. Please note that a check which includes the petition fee of \$130.00 (Check No. 39601) was cashed but no record of indication that the Petition was filed.

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Sir :

Applicants respectfully request that the order of the names of the joint inventors of the application be changed so that the order of names utilized in any Patent and Trademark Office communications will more closely correspond to the order of the names of the inventors as contained in the PCT Demand for International Preliminary Examination filed on July 21, 2000.

Since this Petition is being filed under 37 C.F.R. 1.182, Applicants enclose a check which includes the petition fee of \$130.00 as set forth in 37 C.F.R. 1.17(h). If for any reason the fee is deficient, this should be considered to be an express request and authorization for the Commissioner to charge any necessary fee to Deposit Account No. 19-0089.

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Applicants respectfully submit that the present Petition is timely presented because the Petition is being filed prior to the close of prosecution.

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The facts are as follows:

1. The application was filed on June 22, 2001 together with an unexecuted

Declaration listing the inventors as follows:

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**Graham J. NATHAN**

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2. The Applicants filed a Response to a Notification of Missing Requirements, with the executed Declaration, on September 18, 2001, containing a listing of the inventors in the above-noted order.

Pursuant to MPEP 605.04(f) and 37 C.F.R. 1.182, Applicants hereby respectfully request that the order of the names of the joint inventors of the application be changed so that the order of names listed in the application papers will more closely correspond to the order

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of the names of the inventors contained in the papers filed with respect to the International Application.

Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that the order of the inventors be listed in the application papers as follows:

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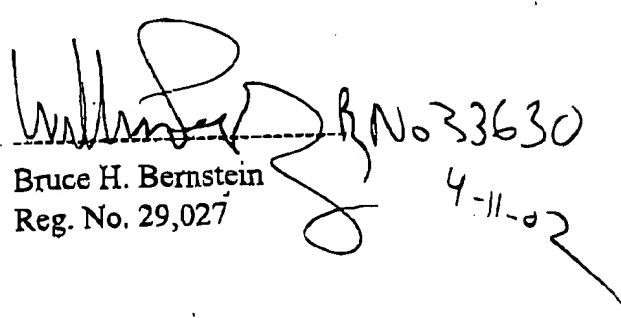
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